

THE ELECTIONS!



Last Tuesday Was a Democratic Day!

Elections held in fourteen States Tuesday, show large Democratic gains everywhere. In Greater New York Van Wyck, the Tammany candidate, is elected Mayor by 80,000 plurality. New York State gives a Democratic plurality of 60,000 as against 268,000 Republican majority last year. The result in Ohio is yet in doubt, but it is probable that Bushnell, Republican, is elected Governor by 10,000 plurality—a tremendous falling off from the plurality last year. It will require the official count to determine the complexion of the Legislature, that elects a successor to Mark Hanna. Both Democrats and Republicans claim a majority. Silver won a sweeping victory in Nebraska. Kentucky is back in the Democratic column with a plurality of 18,000. Maryland has probably gone Republican. New Jersey is largely Democratic. Pennsylvania and Iowa show greatly reduced Republican majorities. The result is a general repudiation of McKinley, Mark Hanna and the administration!

Bryan and Victory in 1900!

NEW JERSEY, too, has had its fill of Republican prosperity.

This silver craze is the confoundedest thing to keep bornin' a-dyin'!

THE *Globe-Democrat's* roosters are conspicuous by reason of their absence.

It lately cost a Bollinger county man five dollars to shoot a quail "out of season."

THE Goldbug's singed his glittering wings, Mark Hanna's hit the ground, The silverbug has knocked 'em out,— O, wake the welkin 'round!

THE Hannacrats they had the gold, The Palmerites the gall; The "Popocrats" had none of these, But downed Bill Mac and all!

HAS criticism of corporation Federal courts lost its terrors to the people, too? There was a lot of "anarchy" let loose last Tuesday.

WHEN we get time we shall offer a few ejaculations for the enlightenment of our friend of the Clayton Advocate. He's a pretty good fellow when he doesn't go wrong.

LET every Missourian pronounce "Missouri" in his own way, but as for us are for the soft "ss" and the short "i." This is unaffected and natural, if not learned.

NEW YORK State goes Democratic by 75,000 to 80,000. How Prosperity and Confidence—the Republican twin sisters—must have been sloshing around in the Empire State!

If Prosperity is such a begotter of Democratic success we may now look for our little 2x4 Republican contemporaries to denounce her as little better than a woman of the town.

UNDER its present management, when you see it in the New York Sun it isn't so. Its confident Republican claims before the election were magnificently disproportional to the result.

We believe it was honest Old Abe Lincoln who said: "You can fool all the people a part of the time and a part of the people all the time, but you can't fool all the people all the time."

THE *Newsboy* last week said wheat "was worth \$1.00" in St. Louis Wednesday." Did Bro. Haefner intend to say \$1.0? Must not the fraction occupy the position of the decimal it divides?

THE Bloomfield *Indicator* was lately sold to J. E. Cobb, who will hereafter conduct the paper without change of policy. Mr. Mosely, the late editor and proprietor, retires after twenty years' steady service.

In the circuit south of here there are two candidates, J. L. Fort of Dexter and J. Perry Johnson of Poplar Bluff, for circuit Judge. These gentlemen evidently are believers in the theory that "the early bird gets the worm!"

NOTICE of the death of Henry George, author of "Progress and Poverty," is given on the inside pages of this paper. He was a good and pure man, to whose memory men of all classes and conditions will do honor, regardless of political and economic differences.

THE king-pla seems to have dropped out of Tom Platt's New York machine at the round-up. Of course, dire disaster resulted to everybody connected with it. But Hanna can 'phone to him, "Me too!" and misery loves company.

THE people seem to discern the difference between newspaper manufactured prosperity and the genuine article. A good man may be fooled by false promises, but he is an utter ass who accepts the shadow for the fulfillment.

THOSE dampfool folk in Ohio, Maryland, New York, Nebraska, Kentucky, etc., etc., don't seem to know Prosperity when they see her. Our little 2x4 Southeast Republican papers have failed in their mission—most lamentably failed.

THE contemptible "National Democratic" element showed its tatters, boils and blisters to a disgusted public last Tuesday. We are in favor of shooting bolt and turning key on that contingent. There is safety in resolutely keeping traitors on the outside.

S. G. TETWILER's *Southeast Review*, published at Charleston, is a credit to the editor, the printer—both of whom he is which—the town and the South-east. It is a monthly magazine of 48 pages, illustrated, and is devoted to the interests of this section of the State. The publication merits success—may it achieve it!

THE *Southeast Gazette* pertinently asks: "If it be true that the Republican party is the devoted champion of American labor, how comes it that in the mines of this country, nine-tenths of whose owners are Republican howlers, nearly all the employees are Hungarians, Bohemians, Italians, or imported from some other European nationality?"

THE Licking *News* comes to us this week in much better shape than heretofore. That miserable, pock-marked fourteenth century heading has been discarded, and the substitute and the paper generally is cleanly and neatly printed. We take pleasure in congratulating Mr. Harry Denman, the new editor and publisher, and wish him success commensurate with his merit.

THE Republican journals are all insisting that prosperity is here. Will any one of these Southeast Missouri papers that have devoted so much space the past few months telling of advances in wages and the return of good times, be kind enough to print the scale of wages at the saw mills or mines in their immediate vicinity? We want to know just what the Republican journals think the day laborer is entitled to while prosperity is sweeping over the country.

THE Goldbug will now go into hibernation, but next year will come forth with his old job lot of false promises, false statistics, false history, and falsehood generally. Will his articles of traffic pass current? We don't know. Truth is said to be mighty, and Error weak, but the latter wins many a dog-fall. To-morrow is another day, and the insinuating Goldbug will be with us; but it gives us pleasure just now to sing:

The northwest winds are blowing, fiercely blowing,
The tinted leaves are falling, ever falling;
And since last Tuesday's snowing, bitter snowing,
Into his hole he's crawling, lowly crawling!

What's the Matter with Hanna?

O, what is the matter with Hanna,
O, what's the matter with he!
The hero of last year's battle,
The loved of Major Billie!
O, what is the matter with Hanna?
And why is he down at the heel?
Why treads he now on his top leather,
And why does he lustily squeal?
The Buckeyes did cruelly hit him,
Biff-bang, right under the eye!
They shook him and raddled his ossa,
And bade him a flippant good-bye!
Last Tuesday did all this happen—
Or occurred, if you want to be strict—
And Rebs are so lustily squealing
Because they're so handsomely licked!

MORAL.
And that's what's the matter with Hanna!

The three-year-old boy of J. A. Johnson, of Lynn Center, Ill., is subject to attacks of Croup. Mr. Johnson says he is satisfied that the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, during a severe attack, saved his little boy's life. He is in the drug business, a member of the firm of Johnson Bros. of that place; and they handle a great many patent medicines for throat and lung diseases. He had all these to choose from, and skilled physicians ready to respond to his call, but selected this remedy for use in his own family at a time when his child's life was in danger, because he knew it to be superior to any other, and famous the country over for its cures of croup. Mr. Johnson says this is the best selling cough medicine they handle, and that it gives splendid satisfaction in all cases. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

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Public Sale.

The Clear Creek Stock Company will sell to the highest bidder on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1897, at Clear Creek, Mo., the following described property, consisting of Brood Mares, Colts and Young Horse Stock, from 1 to 5 years old. All stock sired by Star Denmark, No. 252 and Sunset No. 341. All of this young stock is out of Forrest Time mares: One bay mare, 7 years old; 1 gray mare, 8 years old; 1 gray mare, 4 years old; 1 gray mare, 4 years old; 1 black mare, 5 years old; 1 bay mare, 3 years old; 1 bay mare, 3 years old; 1 gray horse, 3 years old; 1 bay horse, 2 years old; 1 bay horse, 2 years old; 1 bay filly, 2 years old; 1 black filly, 2 years old; 1 bay filly, 1 year old; 1 bay filly, 1 year old; 1 black weaning; 1 sorrel weaning; 1 bay weaning; 1 sorrel weaning; 1 black stallion, 1 year old, and sired by Star Denmark and dam by Rex Denmark.

TERMS: 12 month's time, with approved security at 8 per cent.; or for cash in hand 5 per cent. discount allowed. CLEAR CREEK STOCK CO., R. B. CAIN, Manager. Post-office address, Potosi, Mo.

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Sheriff's Sale Under Deed of Trust.

Default having been made in the payment of a note secured by certain deed of trust executed November 15th, 1888, by Wm. Thompson and Laura Thompson, his wife, and recorded in the Recorder's office for Iron county, Mo., book 41, page 443, and said Wm. Thompson having now been dead more than nine months, now, therefore, in accordance with the powers on me conferred in said deed of trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, the Trustee named having refused to act, I will on Monday, December 6th, 1897, at the front door of the Court House in Ironton, Iron county, Mo., between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. of said day, offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder at public auction for cash, for the purposes of said trust, the real estate in said deed of trust described, situated in Iron county, Mo., to-wit:

All of the southeast half of the southeast quarter of section 35, township 35, range 2 east, except ten acres across the north end thereof; and also 2 1/2 acres, more or less, in the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of said section, bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of said southwest quarter, thence west to a hickory tree at the branch, thence north to a cedar tree, thence northeast to an elm tree, at the branch, thence northeast to the line between said southeast and said southwest quarters, thence to the place of beginning; on which ground are situated the house and barn of said Wm. Thompson. Also the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 4, township 34, north of range 2 east.

And also a part of the northeast fractional quarter of section 5, township 34, north of range 3 east, bounded as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 2 of said fractional quarter, thence south along said lot, 5 chains, thence north 51 degrees east, 3 chains, thence east 79 links, thence 23 degrees east, 3 chains and 37 links, thence west 5 chains to the place of beginning, being what is known as the "Belleview Steam Mill Property."

WILLIAM T. O'NEAL, Sheriff Iron county and Acting Trustee.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.
Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Joseph H. Strickland, deceased, that the undersigned Executor of said estate, intends to make final settlement thereof at next term of the Probate Court of Iron county, to be held at the courthouse in Ironton, Iron county, Mo., on the second Monday in November next—the same being the 8th day of November, A. D. 1897. GILES MCMAHON, Executor. oct7n15

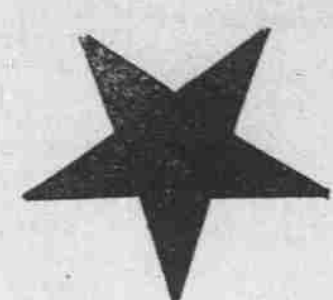
FINAL SETTLEMENT.
Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Catharine Bassett, deceased, that the undersigned Executor of said estate, intends to make final settlement thereof at next term of the Probate Court of Iron county, to be held at the courthouse in Ironton, Iron county, Mo., on the second Monday in November next—the same being the 8th day of November, A. D. 1897. BURWELL FOX, Executor. oct7n15

Final Settlement.
Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of George E. Search, deceased, that the undersigned Executor of said estate, intends to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Iron county, to be held at the courthouse in Ironton, Iron county, Mo., on the second Monday in November, next—the same being the 8th day of November, A. D. 1897. LILBOURN A. LEWIS, Executor.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.
Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Martha J. Harviell, deceased, that the undersigned Executors of said estate, intends to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate court of Iron county, to be held at the courthouse in Ironton, Iron county, Mo., on the second Monday in November next—the same being the 8th day of November, A. D. 1897. A. S. PRINCE, A. M. HARVIELL, Executors. oct7n15

Final Settlement.
Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Chas. M. Roberts, deceased, that the undersigned administratrix of said estate, intends to make final settlement thereof at next term of the Probate Court of Iron county, to be held at the courthouse in Ironton, Iron county, Mo., on the second Monday in November next—the same being the 8th day of November, A. D. 1897. CLERCY ROBERTS, Administratrix. sep30n14

FINAL SETTLEMENT.
Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of F. J. Henderson, deceased, that the undersigned administrator of said estate, intends to make final settlement thereof at next term of the Probate court of Iron county, to be held at the courthouse in Ironton, Iron county, Mo., on the second Monday in November, next—the same being the 8th day of November, A. D. 1897. G. G. HENDERSON, Administrator.



To the Public

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